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ORGANIZATION OF COVER FOR "JOSÉ" AND "REMERSANDE" (1944)

From: MEXICO CITY

To: MOSCOW

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To VIKTOR, [1]

1. ANTON[ii] proposes organizing cover for JOSE[KhOZE][iii] in the form of a workshop for retreading tyres, for which three thousand peace will be required. We think we should go shead with this because his despatch to CUBA is very problematical and and would cost us more. [3 groups unrecovered] about the journey across [G. MAKEIN][iv] said that for the most part this [1 group unrecovered] was better.

2. Flease authorize also the payment of 25 [8 groups unrecoverable][a]RRANDT"[v] for organizing cover in the form of an artist's studio for shop window dressing. This business promises to be successful here, particularly as REMERANDT is a fine artist.

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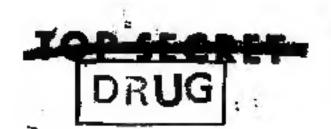
TuRIJ[vi][b]

Notes: [a] While it is not possible to be certain what these 8 groups contain, there are good indications that they should read: "...00 repeat 2500 peace to "REM..."

[b] There follows a service postsoript signed by SERN, cover-name of the MGB cipher clerk in MECICO CITY.

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Comments: [4] VIKTOR : Lt. Gen. P. M. FITIN.

> [11] Unidentified APPTON

[111] JOSÉ Unidentified cover-name.

[1v] MAKSIM : Vesilij ZUBILIN, 2nd Secretary at the Soviet Embassy in WASHINGTON.

[v] REMBRANDT : Jose SANCHA PADROS.

: Lev. A. TARASOV, 1st Secretary at the Soviet Embassy in MEXICO CITY.

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